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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

In response to the Office Action mailed on July 2, 2007, transmitted herewith is an Amendment, including Exhibit A, for filing in the above-identified application.

The July 2, 2007 Office Action set a three-month period of time for responding. The period of time for responding expires on October 2, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely.

Applicants believe that no fees are due. However, if any fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized, as appropriate and/or necessary, to charge any such fees to Kenyon & Kenyon LLP Deposit Account No. 11-0600. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted, KENYON & KENYON LLP

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This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on July 2, 2007 in connection with the above-identified application. A response to this Office Action is due on or before October 2, 2007. Accordingly, this response is timely.

Please amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 6 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.